## PATENT APPLICATION 048591

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

WEN, et al.

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For: METHOD FOR REPRESENTING ENCODING UPON CODING VIDEO

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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action (Paper No. 4) mailed July 21, 1999, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-7 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please add the following new claims:

3 -8. A method for use in a system in which information is transmitted, said method comprising the steps of:

generating an extended code (COD) field representing a coding state of said information;

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including, in said extended code field, a bit stream indicating whether both a motion vector (MV) and a discrete cosine transform (DCT) value are not encoded, whether both the MV and the DCT are encoded of whether only the MV is encoded.

9. The method of claim 8, wherein said extended code field comprises at least two

bits.

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